

HYDRANT METER POLICY

Meter size	Equipment deposit	Non-Refundable Processing Fee	Non-Refundable Minimum water use	Refundable Water Use Deposit	Total Due at time of application
5/8"	\$600.	\$100.	\$20./60days	\$200.	\$920.
1"	\$700.	\$100.	\$20./60days	\$300.	\$1,120.
1 1/2"	\$1,300.	\$100.	\$20./60days	\$400.	\$1,820.
2"	\$1,500.	\$100.	\$20./60days	\$500.	\$2,120.

Meters are issued for **60 days** – if the meter user doesn't return the meter by the 60th day in the same condition as when issued – reasonable wear and tear excepted - the entire amount paid at the time of issuance is forfeited.

If the meter is returned after 60 days, but before 90 days, City will waive 50% of the forfeiture of the equipment deposit (but not of the water use deposit). If not returned until after 90 days, entire equipment deposit is forfeited.

Non-return of meters will also result in an additional \$250.00 fee.

Regardless of when the meter is returned, applicant will be charged for any damage to the meter at the rate of the PW Superintendent's estimated cost to repair plus 20%.

All meters are to be returned to the City Shop, where the meter will be read and inspected and that information conveyed to Utility Billing. UB then will deduct the cost of water used from the refundable deposit.

Those issued a meter who desire to keep the meter more than 60 days must take it to the City Shop by no later than the 60th day after issuance, so the meter can be read and the unit inspected by water distribution field staff member for damage. The user must then go to UB and pay the bill for water used during the 60 day period, then return to the City Shop and show proof of payment of that amount. The City Shop will then release the meter back to the user for one additional 60 day period.